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Transmitted herewith for filing is the Utility patent application of:

INVENTOR:	BONILLA GRIZ, JOSE LUIS
FOR:	IMPROVEMENTS IN A PROCESS FOR OBTAINING HYDROGEN

Enclosed are:

- 15 Pages of specification, claims and abstract
- 5 sheet(s) of Informal drawings
- A Notice of Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119
- Standard Data Entry
- A Declaration and Power of Attorney Signed
- Small Entity Statement
- An Associate Power of Attorney

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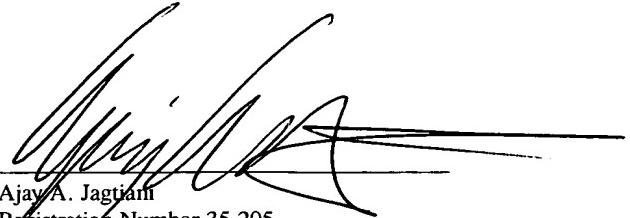
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**REQUEST FOR PRIORITY
UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 119
AND THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION**

Sir:

In the matter of the above-captioned application for a United States patent, notice is hereby given that the Applicant claims the priority date of January 8, 2001, the filing date of the corresponding Mexican Patent Application Number 000035.

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[[TRANSLATOR'S NOTE: Five drawings sheets follow. Then, comes the following writings]]

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To the Director of the Patents Division of the

10 Mexican Institute of the Industrial Property

I, HERMINIO FERNANDEZ MANZO, Attorney for Mr.
JOSE LUIS BONILLA GRIZ, personality proved under the file I am
promoting, come before you to expose:

15 By means of this writing and as a voluntary amendment
respectfully request that an error in the family name of the inventor
is taken into account, as the same was mentioned, by error, in the
application as JOSE LUIS BONILLA GRIS, with the correct spelling
being JOSE LUIS BONILLA GRIZ.

20 I substitute the patent application form with the correct
mother family name.

The corresponding fees have been paid up.

For the above exposed,

BEFORE YOU, SIR, I respectfully ask that:

25 FIRST: The mother family name of the inventor is
corrected in the present application.

SECOND: That the administrative proceedings to the
registration of Patent is continued.

Respectfully.

Mexico, Federal District, January 31, 2001.

JOSE LUIS BONILLA GRIZ

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Herminio Fernández Manzo, Esquire.